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VIVA VOCE OR BY BALLOT?

It is an open question whether voting viva voce or by ballot is the best method of securing a proper expression of the popular voice, and at the same time of maintaining the independence of the voter. We well remember in our native State (Missouri) the perfect nonchalance and entire independence with which every voter stepped up to the polls and proclaimed with a loud voice his individual choice for public officers. It certainly worked well there at the time we refer to—twenty-five or thirty years ago; but times have changed somewhat in the past quarter of a century: the choice of public officers partakes too much of the nature of a personal matter, and as a remedy for the many difficulties resulting from voting viva voce the vote by ballot has been adopted in most of the States; and it is also provided that no person shall be permitted to inspect or mark the ticket of a voter without his consent. But it has been found that by printing tickets on different colored paper, or by embellishing them with various kinds of cuts, the manner in which every citizen votes is well known to the experts whose business it is to pry into the individual affairs of everyone else. Practically, in this State, the vote by ballot fails to secure the voter's independent action. Then, we maintain, the ticket should either be viva voce or by ballot—added for by the California Legislature last session, which makes it a written or printed on paper by the Secretary of State. We have procured a particular kind of Ballot ticket. The paper is twenty by twenty-four inches long. Dry Valley just ten tickets to the sheet, size—4,800 tickets to a ream. The plan, we think, would be to provide the Secretary of State to provide a uniform size and color, on the back of which shall be stamped by him, and only on which election tickets shall be printed—providing, of course, for the punishment of counterfeiting such stamp or the circulation of tickets not stamped as required by law. This will go far towards breaking up the detestable system of "working" around the polls on election days—a system which has almost brought popular elections into contempt. These "workers" thrust their unsought advice upon voters with such unblushing effrontery that a citizen with ideas of decency and propriety above those of a groundhog approaches the polls feeling as though he were about coming in contact with some lousesome object. By all means give each voter an opportunity to deposit his ballot in peace. The Registry Act put a quietus upon the "challengers"; now let us have the secret ballot to squelch the "workers."

Charles O'Connor positively refuses to accept the candidature offered him by the Louisville Straight Democratic Convention. But the leaders of the "Straights" will persist in organizing all over the country, and vote for him, notwithstanding his refusal. This is the way the Sacramento Union states the case; but we doubt whether an O'Connor Electoral ticket will be put up in any of the States, and as the people vote for Electors and not directly for the President, nothing will be gained or lost by either party by the persistence of the "Straights" in keeping that eminent gentleman in the field.

The Springfield Republican publishes what purports to be Greeley's opinion of the coming contest. The correspondent says Mr. Greeley conceded Maine to the Republicans by a majority of from 8,000 to 15,000, and asserted that he could not possibly see how Grant could get more than 100 electoral votes. He claims New York, Pennsylvania and Indiana, as certain for the Liberal cause.

The Texas Pacific Railroad begins at Marshall, Texas, about 300 miles west of New Orleans, and runs through Texas, New Mexico and Arizona, on the thirty-second parallel terminating at San Diego, in California. It has a land grant of 13,500,000 acres. It has also a large money subsidy.

Joseph E. Eckley, of Storey county, will be a candidate for State Printer before the Republican Convention to be held at Reno on the 25th inst., as will also be "Old Put," of the Virginia Enterprise.

The Prohibitionists of Connecticut have put up an Electoral ticket for Russell and Black or Black and Russell, we are not sure which, and it is likely that they will poll 2,000 or 3,000 votes.

Irredeemable bonds—Vaga-bonds.

THE GENEVA AWARD.

The unfriendly relations engendered between the United States and Great Britain, in consequence of the depredations of the Confederate cruisers fitted out in British waters during the late war between the States, having been adjusted by the Geneva Arbitration, it may be interesting to recount the leading events of the controversy and final settlement. The course of Great Britain during the American war was the subject of the severest criticism while the war lasted, but our Government was not in condition to do more than protest against the violation of the neutrality laws by Great Britain. Soon after the war closed the United States made a demand for indemnity, and, after the delay incident to diplomacy, the Washington Treaty was concluded May 8th, 1871, exchanged June 18th of the same year, and proclaimed July 4 following. This treaty was designed for the settlement of the Alabama claims, the fisheries, the navigation of the St. Lawrence, and the San Juan boundary question. The settlement of the Alabama claims, however, was the most important matter provided for in the treaty, and to this end provision was made for the creation of a board of arbitration to be composed of five members, one to be named by the United States, one by Great Britain, and one each by Italy, Brazil and Switzerland. The United States named the Hon. Charles Francis Adams; Great Britain, Right Hon. Sir Alexander J. E. Cockburn, Bart., Lord Chief Justice of England; Italy, Senator Count Schepisi; Brazil, Baron de Itajuba; Switzerland, Jacob Stampfli. J. C. Bancroft Davis was the agent and Wm. M. Everts, Benjamin R. Curtis and Morrison R. Waite the counsel of the United States. The Arbitration Tribunal held its session at Geneva, Switzerland, and closed its labors only a few days ago, after awarding \$15,500,000 as damages for the destruction of American vessels by Confederate cruisers fitted out in British waters during the late war. The award is far below the sum expected by the press and people of this country, yet it is bitterly denounced by the Tory press in London.

The fisheries and the boundary questions remain to be disposed of. For the adjustment of the first named the United States appointed James Somerville, Fraser as arbitrator; Great Britain, Rt. Hon. Russell Gurney, M.P., Recorder of London; with Count Louis Corti, Italian Minister to the United States, as joint arbitrator. For the settlement of the boundary dispute the Emperor of Germany has been chosen by the two countries as joint arbitrator, and has accepted the trust.

MOUNTAIN MEADOW MASSACRE.—The following dispatch, dated New York, September 14, may be entirely sensational; nevertheless we publish it, and to-day will make inquiries concerning Philip K. Smith:

The fact that the Mountain Meadow massacre was a Mormon work is fully confirmed in the affidavit of Philip Klingensmith, now of Lincoln county, Nevada. Smith says that at the time he was a Mormon Bishop at Cedar City, Utah, and was forced to muster with a militia regiment and perpetrate the outrage; that the assembled party after four days fighting were induced to lay down their arms under promise of protection, after which all were shot down by the Mormon militia except seventeen young children, who were taken in charge by Smith and saved. The affidavit gives particulars, and carries conviction of its truth.

NOR RON JESSE.—We copy the following from the Virginia Chronicle:

Joe Eckley, a sober, industrious and competent printer, but a candidate against Putnam of the Enterprise for the Republican nomination for the office of State Printer, was discharged from that office yesterday. Joe had the temerity to run for a delegate to the State Convention. He is out of employment now. Workmen will make a note of this.

Poor Joe! he is one of nature's noblemen, and we are sorry to learn that his head has again been brought to the block for aspiring to positions beyond the reach of "hired hands."

The San Jose Mercury of September 18 says: About 6 o'clock last evening in Mayfield, Granville Millsapp, who keeps a saloon in that town, shot and killed Vicente Coratara. Millsapp was arrested and brought to San Jose for safe-keeping. He states that Coratara came into his saloon and wanted to fight him, and made a motion as if reaching for a pistol, whereupon Millsapp shot him on the spot. Our Kern county friends will remember Millsapp, who figured at Havilah some years ago, and was there known by the cognomen of "Rash."

The Reese River Revueille says L. H. Newton was nominated for State Senator and F. G. McDonald and Frank Bradley for Assemblymen by the Democrats of Nye county.

In Oregon a man has been sentenced by the United States District Court to ten years in the Penitentiary for selling liquor to the Indians.

A hundred printers of New York city are on a strike because of the violation of the rule of the Typographical Union in relation to apprentices.

A five-ounce nugget of gold has been found in San Gabriel Canyon, Los Angeles county.

Telegraphic Dispatches.

SPECIAL TO THE RECORD, VIA DEWATER TELEGRAPH EASTERN GENERAL NEWS.

Washington, September 18.—Delegation of Grand River Indians called on Secretary Delano. They made the usual speeches, complaining of poverty and begging for guns and ammunition, and asking that railroads running through their country be torn up. The Secretary wanted them to go farming, and promised them implements and to put them into a better country, where they would have the advantages of civilization.

New York, September 18.—Unauthenticated report that the Union and Central Pacific Railroads have consolidated.

The failure of Howard, Evans & Co. and of James M. Smith's Son & Co. is announced.

Letter from President Grant congratulating Gen. Dix and people of New York on his nomination for Governor, and predicting his certain election, is published.

Steamship Cuba to-day took \$117,200 in specie to Europe.

President Grant will visit the New Jersey State Fair at Waverly to-morrow afternoon, and Newark Exposition in the evening.

This evening 508 Mormon emigrants, composed of Scandinavians and English, who arrived per steamer Minnesota on Monday, left by railroad for Utah.

Nashville, September 18.—Committee of citizens and city officials go to Louisville to invite Greeley to visit Nashville.

Louisville, September 18.—Special train will be furnished Saturday to convey Greeley from Cincinnati. Five delegations go up Friday night to meet him.

Leviathan, Pa., September 18.—Greeley arrived this evening per western-bound train. Quite a large crowd assembled at the depot, and Greeley made a few remarks.

A terrible storm, the worst of the season, has been raging along the telegraphic route from Salt Lake, 150 miles towards Pioche, interrupting telegraphic communication, and depriving us of our proper quota of press despatches and the afternoon Stock Report of yesterday.

Bro. Lewis, of the Reno Crescent, takes a lively interest in the primaries; in the Republican nomination for Congress; in the Republican choice for United States Senator; and generally displays a restored condition of sympathy with Republican prospects.—[White Pine News.]

The News evidently labored under a mistake, as on the day that "Bro. Lewis" was credited with a restored condition of sympathy with Republican principles he was nominated by the opposing party for State Printer.

Gen. John B. Winters for Congress and Judge Hawley for Justice of the Supreme Court are confidently spoken of by the White Pine News.

A jury has been obtained in the Fair case, and the trial is now under way.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 19.

No.	Stock.	Opening.	Closing.
20	Alphac...	41	41 1/2
35	B. & O. R. R.	103	102
640	California...	33	34 1/2
235	Chas. & J. P.	65	65 1/2
10	Confidence...	8 1/2	8 1/2
510	Gen. Virginia...	31	31 1/2
340	Green Bay...	120	120
300	Empire...	8 1/2	8 1/2
20	Exch. City...	30	30
220	Gold & Curry...	130	130 1/2
100	H. & S. S. S...	70	70
100	Imperial...	9	9 1/2
10	Int. Bank...	250	240
320	Int. Bank...	6 1/2	6 1/2
100	Int. Bank...	78	77
100	Int. Bank...	65	64 1/2
100	Int. Bank...	116	115 1/2
200	Int. Bank...	67 1/2	67 1/2
100	Int. Bank...	108	108 1/2

B. F. SIDES BUYS AND SELLS STOCKS ON COMMISSION.

Money Loaned on Stocks.

New Advertisements.

Condor Silver Mining Company.—Location of Wards, Fly Mining District, Lincoln County, Nevada. Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of said Company, held on the 12th day of September 1872, an assessment of \$1.00 of ONE DOLLAR per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable immediately, in United States gold coin, to the Secretary, at the office of the company, No. 419 California street, San Francisco, California.

Any stockholder who said assessment shall remain unpaid on Tuesday, the 22d day of October, 1872, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on Wednesday, the 13th day of November, 1872, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. By order of the Board of Trustees.

H. C. RIBBE, Secretary.
San Francisco, September 13th, 1872.
Office: Room 21, Hayward's Building, 419 California street, San Francisco, Cal.

A Car Load OF THE BEST SUGAR CURED HAMS NOW ARRIVING

Direct from Chicago,
—AT—
PH. FELSANTHAL'S
1019-1m

James Dougherty,
YOUR WIFE, from whom you parted in Baltimore, five years ago last March, is now in Laramie City, Wyoming.
1019-1m ELLEN DOUGHERTY.

Registration Notices.

Registration Notice.
The qualified electors of Elko Precinct, Lincoln County, State of Nevada, are hereby notified that the Books of Registration for the General Election to be held on TUESDAY, November 5, 1872, are now open. The time for the registration of the names of voters will expire on MONDAY, October 21, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Registration Notice.
The qualified electors of Clover Valley Precinct, Lincoln County, State of Nevada, are hereby notified that the Books of Registration for the General Election to be held on TUESDAY, November 5, 1872, are now open. The time for the registration of the names of voters will expire on MONDAY, October 21, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Registration Notice.
The qualified electors of Rose Valley Precinct, Lincoln County, State of Nevada, are hereby notified that the Books of Registration for the General Election to be held on TUESDAY, November 5, 1872, are now open. The time for the registration of the names of voters will expire on MONDAY, October 21, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Registration Notice.
The qualified electors of Panaca Precinct, Lincoln County, State of Nevada, are hereby notified that the Books of Registration for the General Election to be held on TUESDAY, November 5, 1872, are now open. The time for the registration of the names of voters will expire on MONDAY, October 21, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Registration Notice.
The qualified electors of Las Vegas Precinct, Lincoln County, State of Nevada, are hereby notified that the Books of Registration for the General Election to be held on TUESDAY, November 5, 1872, are now open. The time for the registration of the names of voters will expire on MONDAY, October 21, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Registration Notice.
The qualified electors of St. Thomas Precinct, Lincoln County, State of Nevada, are hereby notified that the Books of Registration for the General Election to be held on TUESDAY, November 5, 1872, are now open. The time for the registration of the names of voters will expire on MONDAY, October 21, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Registration Notice.
The qualified electors of Highland Precinct, Lincoln County, State of Nevada, are hereby notified that the Books of Registration for the General Election to be held on TUESDAY, November 5, 1872, are now open. The time for the registration of the names of voters will expire on MONDAY, October 21, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Registration Notice.
The qualified electors of Long Valley Precinct, Lincoln County, State of Nevada, are hereby notified that the Books of Registration for the General Election to be held on TUESDAY, November 5, 1872, are now open. The time for the registration of the names of voters will expire on MONDAY, October 21, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Registration Notice.
The qualified electors of Dry Valley Precinct, Lincoln County, State of Nevada, are hereby notified that the Books of Registration for the General Election to be held on TUESDAY, November 5, 1872, are now open. The time for the registration of the names of voters will expire on MONDAY, October 21, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Registration Notice.
The qualified electors of Freeland Precinct, Lincoln County, State of Nevada, are hereby notified that the Books of Registration for the General Election to be held on TUESDAY, November 5, 1872, are now open. The time for the registration of the names of voters will expire on MONDAY, October 21, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Registration Notice.
The qualified electors of Pioche Precinct, Lincoln County, State of Nevada, are hereby notified that the Books of Registration for the General Election to be held on TUESDAY, November 5, 1872, are now open. The time for the registration of the names of voters will expire on MONDAY, October 21, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Registration Notice.
The qualified electors of Bullionville Precinct, Lincoln County, State of Nevada, are hereby notified that the Books of Registration for the General Election to be held on TUESDAY, November 5, 1872, are now open. The time for the registration of the names of voters will expire on MONDAY, October 21, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Registration Notice.
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TIN ROOFING

Roof Painting.
SAMUEL BARNUM RESPECTFULLY informs the public of Pioche and vicinity that he is now prepared to execute, at short notice, all orders for Tin Roofing and Roof Painting in the best style and with all the latest improvements. Satisfaction guaranteed in all cases. All orders left at the News Depot of Charles Wadsworth, will receive prompt attention.

REMOVAL.

P. O'TOOLE
RESPECTFULLY INFORMS HIS FRIENDS and the public that he is now permanently located on Main street, next door to Ely Record office, and out of the Power of Coffin Men and Deputy Constables.

FRENCH LEATHER

Of the very best brands; also, a general assortment of shoe findings and everything usually found in a well regulated Boot and Shoe Shop. The most difficult feet fitted with care. Satisfaction guaranteed in every case.

MILLINERY AND LADIES' DRESS GOODS

MRS. J. D. HIGGINS DESIRES TO INFORM the ladies of Pioche and vicinity that she has on hand and is constantly receiving a large stock of Millinery and Dress Goods, which she is selling at low prices. Ladies in want of millinery, dress or fancy goods will find all they need at.

East side of Lacour street.
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Good Stock of Builders' Hardware.
Such as Locks, Butts, Screws, Nails, etc., also a fine assortment of lighter goods.

Also Small Cooking Stoves, just the thing for cabins—very cheap.

A good stock of Tinware on hand and made to order on short notice.

All kinds of Jobbing Work promptly attended to and warranted to give satisfaction.

TERMS MODERATE. GIVE ME A CALL.

LOST.

DURING THE LAST FIRE MR. HIGGINS lost a fine shot gun from his house. He prizes the gun very highly, it being an old keepsake. A liberal reward will be paid to any one returning it.

Harrison & Brother,
Main street, Pioche.

Furniture and Bedding.
Chamber Suits, Marble-top Shtboards, Bureaus, Wash Stands, Bedsteads, Cottage Bedsteads, a large assortment of

Chairs, Lounges,
Spring Mattresses, Hair Mattresses, Felt Mattresses, Hair and Feather Pillows, Lounges, Frames, Demosies, Hair Cloth, Doors, Sash and Blinds; also a fine assortment of Upholstery Material.

Notice.
ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUTIONED not to purchase a certain lot, opposite James Cronan's store, on Main street, 4th 100, as the same was jumped by J. Harris and R. Nicconor, and suit will be commenced for ejectment.

ELIA CHIELOVICH,
Grantee of M. Niculich.
Pioche, Nevada, June 30, 1872.

House and Lot For Sale.
HOUSE OF THREE ROOMS, WITH BASEMENT, and Lot 25x100 feet, situate on Cedar street about 100 feet west of the Episcopal Church. For particulars, apply at the ELY RECORD OFFICE.

THE POCHE PHOENIX MINING COMPANY.

THE POCHE PHOENIX MINING COMPANY is about being incorporated under the laws of the State of California, and in order to give the residents of Pioche an opportunity to take stock, subscriptions will be received at

THE STATE BANK OF NEVADA
FOR A LIMITED NUMBER OF SHARES.

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Will be opened at the BANK on

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